

FY 1999 DoN Competition and Procurement Excellence Awards

The Honorable Richard Danzig, Secretary of the Navy, recently announced the FY 1999 DoN Competition and Procurement Excellence Awards. In his announcement of 28 June 00, Mr. Danzig stated:

"Exceptional performance by all nominees made the selection process extremely difficult. Through the diligent efforts of all nominees, significant savings to the taxpayers have been achieved.

The procurement decisions made by these professionals on a daily basis help shape the Navy and Marine Corps team into a ready force for the future that will always be there "when the nation calls." We all know the world changes, circumstances change. In the face of uncertain funding, rising prices, and shrinking resources, we need to remain vigilant to our opportunities to meet these changes and uncertainties. Opportunities arise through both innovation and competition. Innovation and competition form our department's premise for action, and industry is responding.

As a result of the dedication and the application of good ideas to business transactions by these award winners, and all others in our acquisition workforce, our sailors and marines benefit in terms of a higher state of material readiness, improved quality of life, and more effective mission accomplishment. Competition and innovation, when applied in a rational business context, will continue to generate billions of dollars in savings for our taxpayers and will advance the navy's goal to make ongoing innovation "stick" in our dealings with industry. The outstanding performance by all personnel within the acquisition process is greatly appreciated."

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The winners are:

Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Washington, DC
NAVFACCO, Port Hueneme, CA
Regional Environmental Coordinators Office, State and Local Environmental Legislative
Regulatory Monitoring Program

Mr. Dave Crouch

Marine Corps Systems Command, Washington, DC
Business Base Modernization

LTCOL Mark Hoyland, USMC

Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command, San Diego, CA
Space and Naval Warfare Systems Center, San Diego, CA
Optimal Source Selection

*CAPT William Rodriguez
Mr. Todd McKamey*

Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, DC
Naval Surface Warfare Center, Dahlgren Division, Dahlgren, VA
Direct Award of R&D Grants and Contract to Non-Profit Institutions

Mr. Jim Thomson

Naval Supply Systems Command, Mechanicsburg, PA
Development and Implementation of the Purchase Card System

Ms. Eva Robinson

Naval Air Systems Command, Patuxent River, MD
Naval Inventory Control Point, Philadelphia, PA
AN/SQQ-32 Mine Countermeasure System Supply Material Availability
Improvement Team

Ms. Susan Cusic

Ms. Debra Garman

Mr. Cloyd Hollenbaugh

Mr. Wilson Kury

Ms. Mary McCormick

Ms. Marcella Stansbury

Mr. Charles Stover

Space And Naval Warfare Systems Command, San Diego, CA
Space And Naval Warfare Systems Center, San Diego, Ca
Hostile Forces Integrated Targeting System Team

LCDR Greg Devogel, USN

Mr. Fred Renz

Mr. Ralph Skiano

Ms. Eleanor Summers

Naval Air Systems Command, Patuxent River, MD
Quick Response Contracting With The Navy's Engineering
Investigation Business Process Reengineering Team

Ms. Arlene Berts

Ms. Pat Cornett

Ms. Cara Gafford

Mr. Randall Johnston

Mr. David Kelley

Ms. Rachel Orosz

MS. Michelle Plank

Naval Air Systems Command, Patuxent River, MD
T-45 System Contractor Logistic Support Team

Mr. Alan Goldberg

LCDR Chris Kennedy, USN

Ms. Jackie Moerbe

Mr. Arthur Owens

Ms. Janet Johnson Patton

Mr. Jan Roth, Jr.